

## Rebuttal to Argument Against Charter Amendment Measure 2

In 2010, the whole Charter restated, not just slightly amended as is being asked for today. The addition of the ABA language didn't even show up in the Impartial Analysis. So, to say that voters overwhelmingly approved (55% YES) adding this language is a mischaracterization at best. There are only so many attorneys in Huntington Beach and by requiring anything other than having some years of experience and having a California law license can dwindle that pool. Additionally, excluding those folks that did not attend an ABA law school can exclude those attorneys who have deep connections to the community, but didn't take the normal route to becoming an attorney: attending a night school program or a becoming an attorney later in life. In fact, the current City Attorney was not a municipal law attorney before being Elected.


Updating the City Treasurer responsibility was requested **BY THE CURRENT CITY TREASURER**. This has nothing to do with oversight. The reports mentioned in the section subject to removal are generated with data from the Finance Department, not something within the Treasurer's Office. The reporting responsibility was transferred out when the Treasurer was transitioned to a parttime position some years ago. The opponents are trying to fearmonger under the guise of oversight.

We request your vote YES on this Measure to ensure we have the best elected department heads Huntington Beach has to offer.

The undersigned proponent(s) or author(s) of the Rebuttal to Argument Against Charter Amendment Measure 2 at the General Municipal Election for the City of Huntington Beach to be held on November 8, 2022, hereby states that such argument is true and correct to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Signed:   
Dan Kalmick, City Councilmember

Date: 7/25/2022

Signed:   
Mike Posey, Mayor Pro Tempore


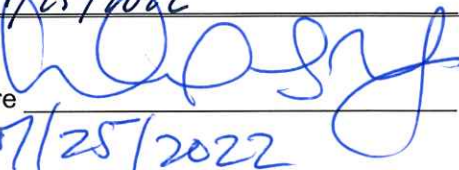
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## FORM OF STATEMENT TO BE FILED BY AUTHORS OF ARGUMENTS

All arguments concerning measures filed pursuant to Division 9, Chapter 3 (beginning with § 9200) of the Elections Code shall be accompanied by the following form statement **to be signed** by each proponent, and by each author, if different, of the argument:

The undersigned proponent(s) or author(s) of the (primary/rebuttal) argument (in favor of/against) Charter Amendment Measure 2 at the General Municipal Election for the City of Huntington Beach to be held on November 8, 2022, hereby state that the argument is true and correct to the best of (his/her/their) knowledge and belief.

Print Name <u>DAN KALMICK</u> Title <u>CITY COUNCILMEMBER</u> (If applicable):Submitted on behalf of : _____ _____ (name of organization)	Signature <u></u> Date <u>7/25/2022</u>
Print Name <u>MICHELLE ROSE</u> Title <u>MAYOR AS PERM</u> (If applicable):Submitted on behalf of : _____ _____ (name of organization)	Signature <u></u> Date <u>7/25/2022</u>
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All Authors must print his/her name **and sign this form** (EC 9600)

AND

Print his/her name **and sign the Argument itself** (EC 9283)

AND

Print his/her name **and sign the Rebuttal Argument itself** (EC 9285)

Further, pursuant to Election Code § 9282, printed arguments submitted to the voters shall be titled either "Argument In Favor Of Measure \_\_\_\_" or "Argument Against Measure \_\_\_\_".

Likewise, printed rebuttal arguments submitted pursuant to Election Code § 9285 shall be titled either "Rebuttal To Argument In Favor Of Measure \_\_\_\_" or "Rebuttal to Argument Against Measure \_\_\_\_".

### Give this form to Council Members, Proponents, and Opponents of Measures

The following statement shall be included on the front cover, or if none, on the heading of the first page of the printed arguments in the Voter Information Guide:

"Arguments in support or opposition of the proposed laws are the opinions of the authors."